FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 27, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 18 - HB 1072**

This bill, if enacted, will provide that if a child is born out of wedlock and has not been legitimated prior to the filing of a petition to terminate parental rights, the biological father is not required to be made a party to the case and not entitled to notice unless he has filed an unrevoked notice of intent to claim paternity; or a paternity acknowledgment; or a court order establishing paternity; or he is recorded on the birth certificate; or he has filed a petition to legitimate the child within one year of the birth.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be a decrease in state expenditures; however, the amount of such decrease cannot be reasonably determined but is estimated to be not significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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